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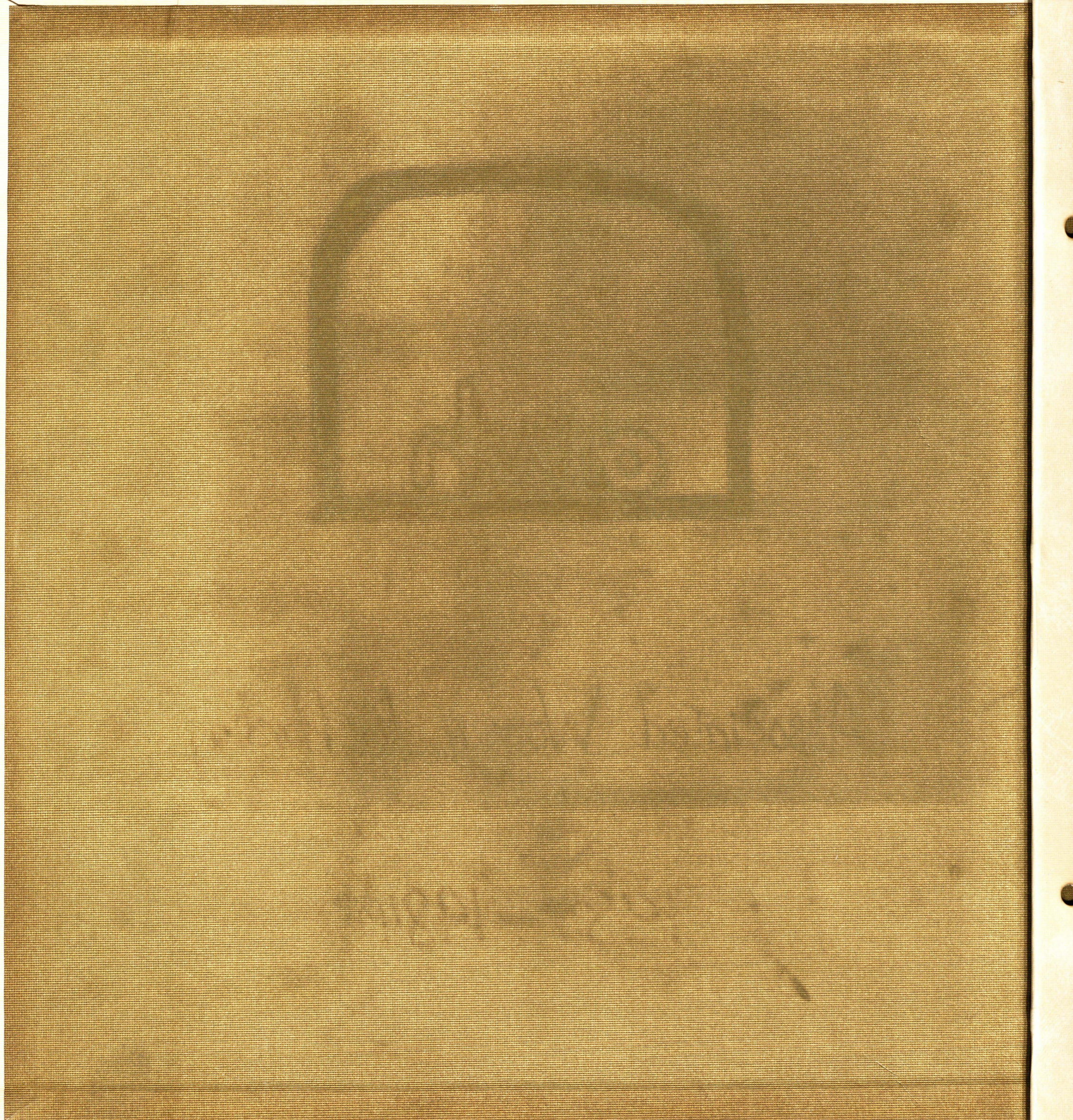


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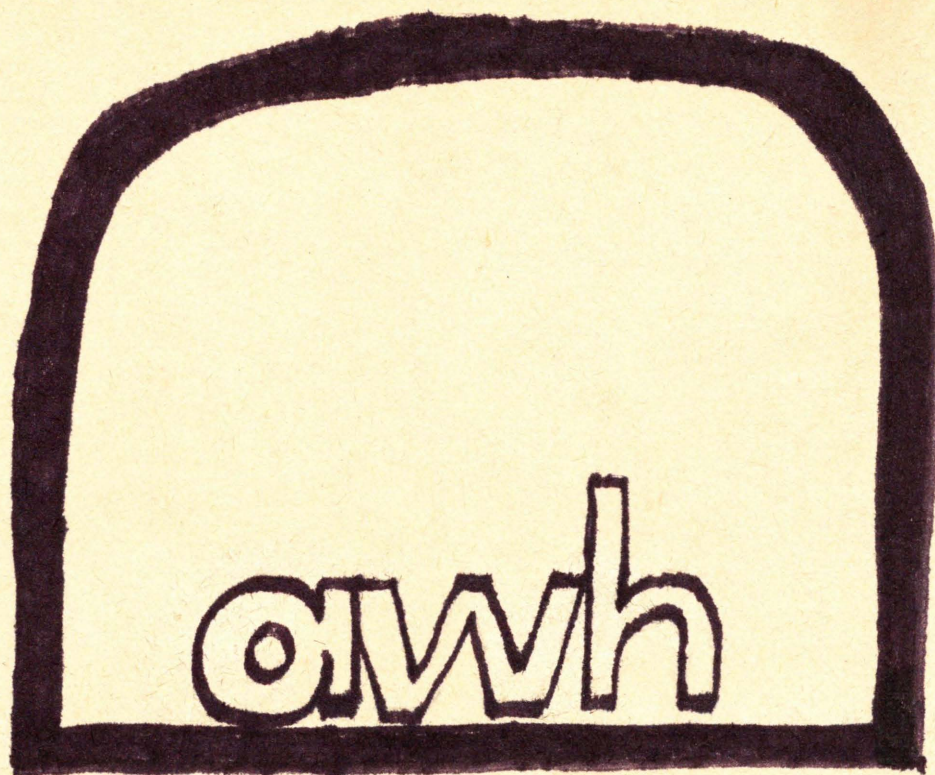
# ScrapBook

LITTLE ROCK









Associated Women for Harding

1983 - 1984





Little Rock Chapter



September, 1983

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Member,

A new year is upon us for A.W.H. Your board has been working hard all summer making plans and getting everything ready. We are looking forward to a very good year, and we earnestly solicit your help. We feel very strongly the need to have each one of our members involved in some way this year. We don't want to overwork anyone, but we ask that each one of you find one area or one thing that you can do for us. If we all work together and help each other, our year will be a success. Be thinking about what you can do and come to our September Membership Tea and sign up for a job!

September Meeting: Our first activity this year will be a Membership Tea at the home of Dr. Jerry and Gwen Holton, 11801 Fairway, on Sunday, September 18, from 2:30 to 4:30. We hope that everyone will be able to come on a Sunday afternoon and bring someone with you who might be interested in joining A.W.H. We'll be looking forward to seeing you there.

Newsletter: Due to the rising costs of mailing our Newsletter, the board has decided to only mail out four Newsletters this year. We hope that you will keep your Newsletter until the next one arrives or be sure and check your Directory for meeting dates and places. The next Newsletter will be mailed in November.

Dues: Remember our new year has begun and our current dues are payable now. Please come to our Membership Tea prepared to pay your dues or send your check for \$12.00 to our Treasurer, Ann Martin, 2123 LaBette Manor Dr. #H-13, Little Rock, 72205. Our By-Laws state that, "Membership shall terminate automatically when dues are delinquent for a period of six months or upon request of the member." We don't want to loose a single member, so be sure to get your dues paid up now.

Love,  
*Beth*  
Beth Gipson

GIFT FAIR

A big thanks goes to all of you who are responding to the plea for items to sell at our Gift Fair/Bake Sale. If you have not decided upon a project, it is not too late to get in there and participate! If you would like to help by being involved in a project workshop, please call me at 224-2178 and i'll try to place you in something you would enjoy.

Please note this announcement: The date of the Fair has been changed to Friday, November 18. The location is the Little Rock Garden Club Center at 1501 Kavanaugh and the hours of the Fair will be 10 a.m.- 6 p.m. with lunch being served. More details on the Fair will be provided for you at the September Membership Tea. Andee

1983-'84 Officers

President- Beth Gipson

1st V.P (Program Chmn.)- Vivian Gutensohn

2nd V.P. (Membership Chmn.)- Billie Rowlett

3rd V.P. (Hostesses)- Dorothy Conner

4th V.P. (Ways & Means)- Andee Cone

Secretary- June Swink

Historian- Sara Jouett

Reporters- Glenda Grigson, Connie Ponder

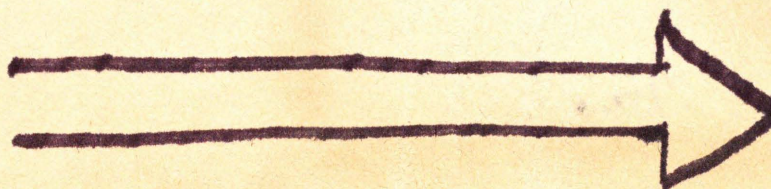
Counselor- Nancy Schuster

Parliamentarian- Kathy Hamilton

October Meeting

The October 20th meeting will be a coffee at the home of Annette Herrington, #2 Woodberry Drive, at 10:00 a.m. Dr. Ethel Preston Trice, Professor & Coordinator of Health Education at U.A.L.R. will be speaking on "Living Abundantly".

September — First Newsletter







FWH NEEDS YOU

SUPPORT  
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MEMBERSHIP TEA  
SEPTEMBER 18

2:30-4:30 P.M.

DR. & MRS. TERRY HOLTON  
11801 FAIRWAY

ASSOCIATED WOMEN FOR HARDING

Johnice Hearn, Pres. of AWH National Council ;  
Beth Gibson, Pres. of AWH - LR Chapter ; and  
Gwen Holton, Hostess, greet guests at Tea.

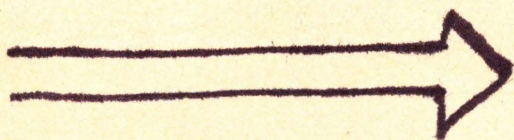


Nancy Schuster, Counselor ; Andee Cone, Ways  
and Means Chairman; and June Swink, Secretary,  
prepare for the tea.

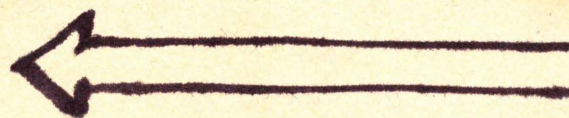
Ann Martin, Treas., collects dues at Tea.



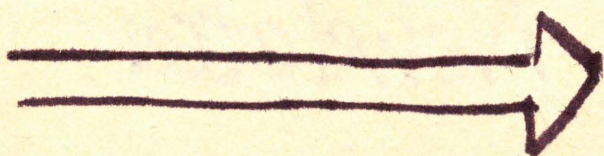
Gwen Holton and Billie Rowlett,  
Membership Chairman, talk  
of the Successful tea.



Andee Cone and Kathy Hamilton  
show a preview of items to  
be sold at Gift Fair.



The Presidents' and their  
official poses.



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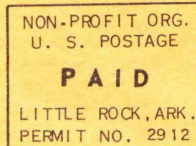


# Newsletter



GREATER LITTLE ROCK CHAPTER

AWH Newsletter  
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October — Second Newsletter



# Women's group helps university

BY JANE DEARING  
Democrat Staff Writer

One thing members of the Associated Women for Harding share is a love and dedication to the university which they so vehemently support.

"I guess everybody just loves Harding," remarked Andee Cone, summing up her feelings for her alma mater. "It's not a real big school, so you make a lot of friends. The AWH is a network that enables everybody to keep up with each other."

Associated Women for Harding has earned a reputation since its founding 18 years ago as one of the state's strongest, most successful women's support groups.

Last year the group donated \$40,000 to the Church of Christ-supported Harding University,

which is the largest private educational institution in the state. In addition to chapters in cities throughout Arkansas, chapters have sprung up in Dallas, Atlanta, Memphis, Nashville, Tenn., Shreveport, La., and Sikeston, Mo. Of the 27 AWH chapters across the nation, the Searcy affiliate, with nearly 250 members, is the largest.

The Little Rock chapter is growing by leaps and bounds, also. In the last 12 months, the membership has more than doubled, reports Brenda McClain, an active member of the group and Harding alumna. "We've grown from 75 members to over 200," she said.

"You have such fond memories of the school you attend

and the friends you made," said Mrs. Cone. "I think we all also want to maintain Christian education and the Christian college."

The AWH offers such success support through its many fund-raising events. Throughout the year the group has a continuing sales program for cutlery sets, the association's cookbook, stationery with the Harding insignia and another unique money-making project — the sale of iris bulbs which have been christened in honor of people important to Harding University.

The group also holds a fashion show and luncheon in the spring each year and a holiday gift fair in the fall. This year the fair is set for Nov. 18 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Little

Rock Garden Center, 1505 Kavanaugh Blvd.

The gifts offered at the fair will include all manner of country decorative items, baby gifts, silk flowers, Christmas items, personalized ornaments, as well as baked goods stirred up in the members' kitchens.

Admission will be 50 cents and ticket holders will be eligible for door prizes. An old-fashioned soup and cornbread lunch will be served at a cost of \$3 per person.

"I guess one reason we seem to be so successful is that young and old alike join together to support a common goal," said Mrs. Cone.

That's a formula for success with which few can argue.

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Beth Gipson, left, and Andee Cone with gift items

Craft Fair Publicity





— Staff Photo by Gene Prescott

June Swink (left), Cone and Connie Ponder display fair items.

## Women for Harding Schedule Annual Gift Fair and Bake Sale

**C**ookbooks, Christmas decorations, smocked baby gowns, homemade baked goods and cutlery are just a few of the items that will be available at a gift fair and bake sale sponsored by Associated Women for Harding University. The annual event will be held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. November 18 at the Little Rock Garden Center at 1501 Kavanaugh Boulevard.

Other items for sale include stenciled and candlewicked pillows, table linens and popular personalized Christmas apple ornaments for \$2.50 each.

There will be an admission charge of 50 cents, and door prizes

will be awarded. A soup lunch will be served beginning at 11 a.m. for a cost of \$3. The luncheon menu, prepared by club members, also will feature muffins, apple and carrot cakes and spiced tea.

Associated Women for Harding, which is the largest private university in the state, was started in 1965 as a fund-raising group for women alumni. There are chapters in Dallas, Atlanta, Nashville, Tenn., and Shreveport, as well as throughout Arkansas. The Little Rock chapter has more than 200 members. Beth Gipson is president of the chapter, and Andee Cone is vice president for ways and means and chairman of the gift fair.

*Beth Gipson and Judy Morris,  
Food Chairman, at Craft Fair.*







Glenda Plumlee decorates apples at  
Craft Fair.



Elsie Cox and Vivian Gutensohn  
admire Xmas ornaments.





Inez Stowers and Ruby Burgess  
are tempted to buy Peanut  
Brittle.



Mary Ann Keathley and Louise Herrington  
decide what to buy.



Mildred Ralston and Pam Burkhalter  
discover hand-made dolls.





Dorothy Conners gives final  
instructions to Henry and Judy  
Morris.



Anyone for Cakes?

"The Tasters"  
Mary Louise Edwards and  
Deta Gattis.







Dorothy Conners and Ann Martin are Open for Lunch.







The Associated Women for Harding help support the university with fund-raising events. Beth Gipson looks over items for an upcoming gift fair.

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downstairs and Christmas upstairs one day last week when Women for Harding held their annual luncheon and gift and bake fair at the Garden Center on Kavanaugh Boulevard.

Downstairs, small tables for four were decorated with colorful cloths and centered with yellow chrysanthemums. The flowers had all come from the yard of luncheon chairman Judy Morris, who, with the help of a group of hard-working committee members, was serving a choice of soups — broccoli or cheese — along with assorted muffins and a choice of apple or carrot cake.

"We made about \$300 on the food," fair chairman Andee Cone said. "It was all profit, because members donated it — and I think we made over \$2,000 on the sale items."

Upstairs, tables holding hand-made gifts, Christmas decorations and baked goods that had been piled high in the first hours, stood almost bare by mid-afternoon, even though it was planned to be open until 6 p.m.

President of the group is Beth Gipson, and board members helping on the benefit included Connie Ponder, Ann Martin, Dorothy Conner, Vivian Gutensohn, Glenda Gripson, June Swink, Billy Rowlett and Sara Jouett.

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SHELLY SCHLERETH, who was married Friday to Rudy Burns, has been honored at a variety of recent parties.

A couples' pool party was given by Betsy Pruss at her North Little Rock home, where refreshments were served at tables around the pool, and a Christmas shower had Florence Henry, Duke Boedeker

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IT LOOKED LIKE Thanksgiving

P.P. — Post Publicity





Holiday Party -  
Woman's City Club

President Gipeon with guest speaker John Gipeon  
no relationship





January 19<sup>th</sup> — "Herbs in  
Your Diet" was cancelled  
due to ...

SNOW  
AND  
ICE!





# Hillary Clinton Visits AWH



Jane Hefley hosts Mrs. Clinton.



Beth starts off the meeting.





Mrs. Clinton is the  
center  
of attention.





Pot Luck Dinner  
March 15  
6<sup>th</sup> & Izard



Jim Woodell - Guest Speaker



Hostesses: Odean Reynolds,  
Louise Herrington,  
Mary Etta Madden, and  
Twila Burris.





# ← Pot Luck — Continued





Board Meetings were  
meeting every month, but  
they always found time for  
lunch.







Our favorite male, who  
attended most of the meetings.



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**COMING ATTRACTIONS**

By KAREN KNUTSON Gazette Staff



Sara Jouett (from left), Jo Ann Browning, Andee Cone and Ollie Mae Copeland plan luncheon.

— Staff Photo by Gene Prescott

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**THE GREATER** Little Rock Chapter of Associated Women for Harding will sponsor a luncheon and style show at noon April 25 at the 4-H Club Center on Ferndale Road. Sara Jouett and Jo Ann Browning are co-chairmen of the event, which will feature fashions by Four Seasons. Other members of the committee are Andee Cone, Dorothy Connor, Vivian Guthenson and Ollie Mae Copeland.

Spring  
 Style  
 Show



Arkansas Democrat/Nyma Benner

**HARDING BACKERS** — Organizers for the April 25 Associated Women for Harding fashion show and luncheon at the Ferndale 4-H Center include, from left, JoAnn Browning, Sara Jouett, Dorothy Connor and Vivian Gutherson.

Sara Jouett and Jo Ann Browning are heading up this year's fund-raising luncheon and style show sponsored by the Greater Little Rock chapter of Associated Women for Harding University. The special affair is set for noon April 25 at the Ferndale 4-H Center.

Four Seasons will provide spring fashions, from dressy to sporty and in all sizes, with Willie Oates doing the commenting.

Other members of the committee for the event include Andee Cone, Dorothy Connor, Vivian Guthenson and Ollie Mae Copeland.

Tickets are \$7.50. For more information, call Brenda McClain at 374-4474.

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## FASHION CALENDAR

The calendar of fashion events is designed to keep you in touch with what's happening. Some shows are free and open to the public; some have a nominal admission charge generally given to a charity, and others are for members only or by invitation. If your group is sponsoring a show, it belongs in the calendar. Call 371-3723.

### APRIL 22, 23

■ Showing of fashions and prostheses for the mastectomees by Camp at Barbara Graves Intimate Fashions, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. both days, drawings and prizes.

### APRIL 23

■ Color Me Beautiful makeup classes at Dillard's by Bettie Ann Harwood, certified consultant; discover the perfect makeup colors for you and learn a simple way to apply them; classes at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., limited to five participants to a class; \$35; call Park Plaza store at 661-0053 or McCain Mall store at 771-4100.

### APRIL 24, 25

■ Color Me Beautiful/Color for Men classes at Dillard's by Bettie Ann Harwood, certified consultant, including individual consultation with color swatches and makeup guide for women, information on accessories and wardrobe planning; classes at 10 a.m., 1 or 6 p.m.; \$55; limited to five participants a class; men's class at 6 p.m. April 25; call Park Plaza at 661-0053 or McCain Mall at 771-4100.

### APRIL 24

■ A fashion show by New Traditions, at noon at the Camelot Hotel, for World Wide Travel.

### APRIL 25

■ Luncheon and fashion show by Four Seasons, with Willie Oates as commentator, for Associated Women for Harding, at noon at the 4-H Club Center, Ferndale.

■ Informal modeling by Four Seasons during noon luncheon at the Little Rock Club.

### APRIL 26

■ Informal modeling by Sarah's during luncheon from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at A Very Special Tearoom, 1900 North Grant Street.

■ A presentation of skin-tone color analysis, seasonal colors with fabric samples and cosmetics in each, by Heidi Hogan of d'Saison, for members of the Jacksonville Junior Auxiliary, at 7 p.m.

### APRIL 27

■ Fashion Show by Home Economics Department, Arkansas School for the Deaf, 10 a.m., Parnell Hall Auditorium, sponsored by Captain Basil Gaither Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

■ Annual spring dinner for the women of Immaculate Conception Parish at 6:30 p.m., with style show by Regan's at 8 p.m.; for information call Cindy Baker at 834-1172.

### APRIL 28

■ Fashion show for members of the Arkansas



Staff Photo by Larry Obsitnik

## Planning AWH Show

In dress rehearsal at the Four Seasons Boutique for the annual luncheon and style show of the Greater Little Rock Chapter of Associated Women for Harding are (from left) Cilla Dowdy, Glenda Grigson, Willie Oates and Mary Ann Keathley.

State Medical Assistants by Barbara Graves Intimate Fashions, with emphasis on the mastectomee, 11:45 a.m., Fulton Room of the Excelsior Hotel.

### APRIL 28, MAY 5

■ Color Me Beautiful Spring Sharing Day at Dillard's McCain Mall; individual sessions for each season, program on new looks for spring and summer by Kathy Johnson, buyer for Clubhouse; wardrobe and accessories will be shown, door prizes to be given. Summer sessions at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. April 28; spring at 10 a.m. May 5 and autumn at 2 p.m. May 5; free to Color Me Beautiful clients.

### APRIL 29

■ "Looking Terrific" from 7 to 9 p.m. at the studio of the instructor, Mary Ellen Coburn, color and style consultant; total beauty package including

skin care, color analysis, corrective makeup, hairstyles, clothing personality, figure analysis, accessories and a shopping spree; cost is \$100 or \$95 each with a friend; sponsored by the Division of Continuing Education at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock; call 569-3316.

### MAY 1

■ The Arkansas Opera Theatre Guild presents a style show luncheon with accessories from The Designer Collection, noon, at the Garner House, 401 West Eighteenth Street, \$6.50 a person, call for reservations by April 27, 372-7361.

### MAY 8, 9

■ Men's Night at Barbara Graves Intimate Fashions, informal modeling and refreshments, with proceeds to benefit Arkansas Children's Hospital, 8 p.m., \$5 a person.





JoAnn Browning, Co Chairman,  
and Ollie Mae Copeland, her capable  
assistant, made for a  
successful style show

Willie Oates served as our  
Colorful Commentator.



And Billie kept us ...  
"all in line."





"the servers"

Entertainment by  
Maureen Adkins.



Members enjoy good  
food and fellowship.





Special Guest:  
Johnice Hearn

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### Sprightly Approach

Cilla Dowdy models a colorful combination of a patterned cotton knit sweater with matching polished cotton skirt, a sprightly approach to spring as interpreted by Four Seasons Boutique. The show followed a luncheon for more than 200 members of Associated Women for Harding University held Wednesday at the Ferndale 4-H Center. Special guests included commentator Willie Oates; Elizabeth Bryant, wife of former secretary of state Kelly Bryant; Judy Petty, candidate for Congress, and June Swink, incoming president of Associated Women for Harding. Piano music was provided by Vivian Gutensohn.

— Staff Photo by Larry Obsitnik

ARKANSAS GAZETTE, Saturday, April 28, 1984











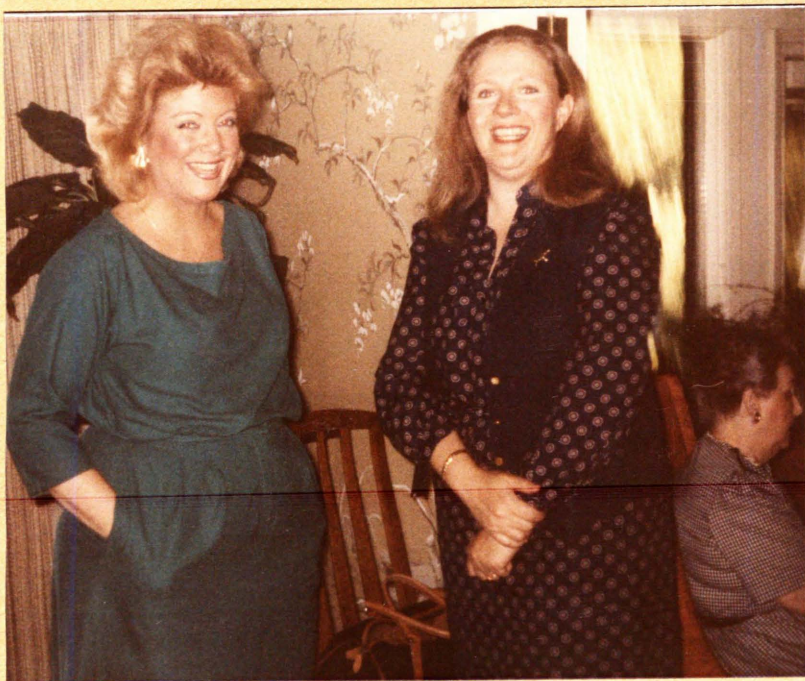












Brenda McClain - News reporter

Carolyn Galey - Guest Speaker



Hostesses: Carolyn Garner  
Joyce Wilson, Missy Word, and  
Ruby Burgess







Beth receives gift from  
June



June Swink takes command





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